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How Much Do You Owe Local Merchants?

(Downsville Statesman)

If everybody paid their debts promptly the average business man would have a much easier time doing business and could sell his goods for less money. For verification of this ask any Downsville business man; he knows. Human nature is the same the wide world over, and therefore a new item from a southern city will be as much appreciated here as there.

Even though they might not care to give it their endorsement as a regular practice, honest folk will not be wanting in sympathy for the unusual courage taken by a Hagerstown Md. grocer to explain his insolvency. Smarter under the sting of having been forced into bankruptcy, the grocer pointed on his front door a list of persons who he declared owed him money, and stated that if they had paid their debts he would have been able to pay his. "These people forced me into bankruptcy," said the sign over the names.

In the list, says the correspondent reporting the affair, were the names of some of the prominent housewives of the town. They were naturally not righteously indignant, and about twenty of the women stormed the shop and tore the sign down.

Of course it was humiliating to them to have their names exposed to the public gaze in this unpleasant way; yet, if the grocer told the truth—as he probably did—their shame was not undeserved. The bankrupt suffered worse than humiliation; he lost his business as a result of extending credit to persons who failed to meet their obligations; and he can hardly be blamed for wanting to share his humiliation for it.

The incident is illuminating as an example of the manner in which petty defalcations in the aggregate affect business. Probably none of the grocer's debtors owed him more than a few dollars each. Yet in their total these bad debts ruined him and his insolvency in turn will prove at least slightly embarrassing to his creditors. Misplaced trust may cause annoyance to far more than those directly concerned. Happily most people pay their debts; otherwise it would be impossible to do business on a credit system, and without credit commerce would languish.

The southern housewives whose names were made public as debtors are angry now; but no doubt down in their hearts they are also a little remorseful. They have been taught when the consequences of not paying even small debts may be. If they are more conscientious in meeting their obligations promptly hereafter, the grocer's revenge will have served a good purpose.

Letter to the Editor

"In Canada Where the Hard Wheat Grows"

Editor, Standard:
Re Canada, foreign settlers, and Mrs. L. O. Hart. What is the matter with the foreign sector? I think that some of the foreigners are just as good farmers as those from the U.S.A., as we have good farmers from the U.S.A., and foreigners in this country because they work hard, and to my opinion, Mrs. Hart, that it don't do any harm to you, but the way I see it will do you a lot of good. They help you out in every way. The foreigners that I know in the U.S.A. you know that the U.S.A. you know different nationalities from faraway foreigners, they were to start with. In fact we would like to see Canada in the same place today as the U.S.A.

Want Wider Sleighs

The following resolution re Wide Bench Sleighs, proposed by Edmonton Automobile and Good Roads Association, is to be presented to the Legislature at next session. They are asking the support of the various public bodies in support of it.

Whereas there is at the present time approximately the sum of \$450,000 invested in motor cars in the Province of Alberta;

And whereas by a conservative estimate seventy per cent. of this amount represents the investment by farmers in motor transportation;

And whereas during a considerable portion of the average winter season it is impracticable, on account of deep snow, even when the roads are broken for traffic by the ordinary narrow bench sleigh for the farmers to get the full use of their investment in their motor cars;

And whereas any system of attempting to keep winter roads open by use of drugs or snow plows would cause an extra heavy burden upon the taxpayers of the Province and would necessarily be limited in its scope and benefit;

And whereas if the use of a sleigh of the standard width of fifty-six inches were adopted, the roads would automatically be kept open and in a passable condition by ordinary country traffic without cost to the taxpayers and without inconvenience to the farmers who would be the principal beneficiaries from the use of such sleighs;

Therefore the Edmonton Automobile and Good Roads Association, respectfully urges upon the Government of Alberta to enact such regulations as would ensure the use of sleighs of the standard width heretofore mentioned, provided that such legislation shall not affect the use of any sleighs in the Province of Alberta before December 31, 1925, for such other date as the Legislature may deem it advisable to adopt.

School Column

Ten entries have already been received for the forthcoming district Tournament, and four for the Provincial Contest. The last day for sending in entries has been postponed till the 27th of January, in order to give everyone a chance.

The regular monthly meeting of the A. T. A. was held in the Junior High School room last Friday evening. On account of the roads the attendance was small. In spite of this important business was transacted. Before the meeting tea was served by the staff of the Strathmore school.

In the near future a meeting will be held to discuss the drawing-up of a prize list for next year's school fair. We trust that all teachers and school boys interested will make a real effort to attend and take a helpful part in the discussion.

Less than 100 schoolboys were Departmental Examinations!!

The following are additional names of members who have joined the Junior Red Cross branch at Strathmore: Margaret Dawson, Alex Straton, Gertrude Harwood, Alex Straton, Margaret Dawson, Alberta North, Denton North, Thos. Davidson, Jess Fraser, Thos. Fraser.

As we are about to close our campaign for members on about the end of the present month, we would be glad that anyone who wishes to join would send their name and subscription at once to the secretary or to the teacher.

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Yule District Notes

In spite of the severe weather the school attendance is good. Ray and Mary Irtz are having trouble at school for the last week because of severe colds. We are glad to hear they will soon be able to be about. Three car loads of hogs were shipped from Standard on Tuesday, January 13th. One car load belonging to Geo. Green, Geo. Collins and E. A. Beck, of Barham, Geo. Green and E. A. Beck who had charge of the shipment, went to Calgary to attend to the unloading. The annual meeting of the Yule School District was held at the Yule School on January 12th. There was a large attendance, about thirteen ratepayers being present, besides visitors. Mr. Collins' term of trustees expired, and Mr. Sam Des Jardine was elected to take his place.

The dance put on in the Community Hall by the young people of Meadow Brook community on January 8th, was quite successful. There were about a hundred people present, all of whom had a most enjoyable time. Many compliments have been received by the young people as to the way the dances were run, and because of the splendid music provided by the Lewis orchestra. The young people felt well satisfied with the proceeds, which amounted to thirty dollars over all expenses. Twenty dollars was given towards the debt on the hall, and ten dollars to the Girls' club, which arrangement was satisfactory to all.

The young people of the Yule District have been disappointed this year because the severe weather and so much snow which has prevented their midwinter skating on Stebbins' lake. The favorite pastime of the past few years has been entirely interrupted so far.

Saturday evening, January 10th, a courtesa band of young folks went to Glenora to the rink to skate, after wards meeting at the home of Miss Vivian Brown, where they were served with a delicious lunch, returning home later in the evening.

We have two excellent fourtube radios in our district, owned by Mr. D. R. Elder and Mr. N. C. Nelson. Many neighbors have spent pleasant evenings enjoying concerts, through the courtesy of these two radio fans.

The severe winter has brought out a new type of sedan. Drivers have enclosed their sleighs with top sides, doors and windows. This makes it very convenient for them to be out when necessary, and fills a want not yet supplied by implement dealers.

NIGHTINGALE NOTES

A kitchen shower was given on Wednesday evening last in the Hall for Mr. and Mrs. Harold Benson, the new bride and bridegroom. The happy pair were the recipients of many useful presents. A good time was spent in speeches, dancing, etc., the hilarity being kept up till 2 a.m.

The Community Club met at Valley Gardens school last Friday. Whist and dancing was enjoyed until an early hour in the morning by a large number of members.

The annual meeting of Valley Gardens School District was held last Thursday. R. A. Lambert was elected trustee in place of Mr. Shonker. Art Glidden was appointed secretary.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Cliff Kinnest was again visited by fire, his residence being burnt to the ground last Thursday morning about 8 a.m. He had the misfortune to be burnt out about two years ago. Most of the family was saved with the help of the neighbors.

Most of the Nightingale people are taking in the Convention at Calgary. There seems to be more interest than ever taken in the Convention this year.

Social-Personal

Mr. W. L. Gilbert left on a visit to Toronto on Saturday.

Mr. W. B. Cope, who has for the past two years been conducting a successful vulcanizing business at High River is spending a three weeks holiday with his parents at Strathmore.

A large number of local people are attending the U.P.A. Convention in Calgary this week. The Convention opened Tuesday forenoon.

Don't forget to attend the ice carnival tonight.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore, Leader, Saskatchewan, on the birth of a son last week. The parents are both former Strathmore residents, the happy father being formerly accountant with the local branch of the Union Bank, where Mrs. Moore is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crawford.

In connection with the Trading at Home Essay Competition, a second prize of a pair of boy's or girl's dress shoes is offered by a local merchant. Essays should be in by the end of this month at the office of the Standard.

Mrs. O. R. Booth and Mr. Gothard Sr., were elected to attend the U.P.A. and U.F.W.A. convention this week.

The death took place on January 12th of one, who for a number of years, was a resident of Strathmore, Mrs. H. B. Seymour. Word was received by Mrs. E. M. Dewitt that she died while sitting at breakfast at her home in Culver City, California. Mrs. Seymour was one of the original settlers in Strathmore, and the news of her death will be received with much regret locally.

The death took place on Monday last of Mr. George Murray, a past grand master of the Grand Lodge of Alberta, A.F. and A.M., at his home near Whitha. During his term of office Mr. Murray visited Strathmore Masonic Lodge, and made many friends among the brethren. The funeral, with full Masonic honours, took place on Thursday afternoon.

Craigantler News

Being a nice night on Friday of last week, about fifty of the Craigantlerites surprised Mr. and Mrs. F. Dankwerth, and one of the most enjoyable evenings was spent at whist and dancing. Mr. and Mrs. Dankwerth always make the crowd welcome, and they go home happy.

The Craigantler school trustees resigned at the last annual school meeting. Two days following the janitor resigned. But the school will keep open, and go on the same as before.


H. B. Grant left on Saturday last, and went to be back for a few weeks. After spending a few days with his family in Calgary, he will proceed to Deer Lodge, Montana, where he will attend the annual meeting of the company.

The weather being fine quite a number of people are going out sleigh-riding, and visiting each other. Most of the people are sure the worst of the winter is over.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hansen last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Mull are getting used to the prairie. We would like to have Fred come out with the crowd and shake his feet once in a while. No invitations—all are welcome.

There was a gathering of the class at McBeth's last week. It is proposed that the class from the north and south will gather to celebrate the birth of Bobbie Burns. Mrs. Moffat will have the haggis in good shape, and Jim Ramage will address us.



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Rockyford Locals

Dr. L. G. Robinson is expected back about the middle of February. He is now in the Peace River Country.

Mr. H. A. Maurice has moved to his farm one mile south of Rockyford.

Frank Duddy well-known in Rockyford district, was arrested on charges on a charge of theft. The preliminary trial was held a week ago at Bassano, and he was sent up for trial. He is now out on bail. He is alleged to be involved in a transaction in pasture land.

Mrs. E. O'Neill, of Calgary, is at present visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mary O'Neill, and friends, in Rockyford.

The new village hall is going along in fine shape, and will be ready for occupancy within a month. Any who wish to donate, the committee will be glad to accept their donations, and if you have already promised, the committee will be glad to receive your donation at any time now.

The village council met on Monday evening, all members being present. Considerable discussion took place regarding water rates and sanitary matters. Rockyford citizens should turn out to these council meetings and try to get in touch with what is being done.

Broom ball games seem to be the popular sport in Rockyford. The bank staff and the merchants' clerks on Sunday in a no-charge game. There is quite a lot of talk of forming a "broom league" and more games are scheduled for the future. A broom ball game between married and single was one of the main features of the carnival last Friday evening.

Friday's ice carnival was favored by fine weather, and the races were well contested, while the attendance was very good. The ice club are to be congratulated on the success of the evening. Details next week.

On January 23rd there will be a meeting held in the basement of the Union Church for the organization of a Horse Breeders Association, under the Federal Government plan. The meeting is called for 1:30 p.m. All interested in the breeding of high class draft horses are asked to be present, as it is possible to secure the services of the best horses in the country at less than half the usual fee. Mr. R. E. Wilson, of the Live-stock Branch of the Department of Agriculture, will be present to address the meeting and to assist in organizing a club.

Leyden School District trustees held their annual meeting on January 12th at the schoolhouse. Mr. H. Dunsmore was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Dyer. The new board consists of H. Dunsmore (chairman), L. Bess, and M. Heilmann. Mr. E. W. Post is secretary.

Quite a crowd went out to Wheat-avenue school Wednesday night for a box social and dance. Three or four couples left Rockyford under the escort of Mr. Tom Blundell, and everyone certainly enjoyed themselves. \$117 was raised at the social towards the piano fund.

The annual meeting of the Rockyford U.F.A. was held on Wednesday, January 14, at 4 p.m. in the assembly room of the Union Church. Messrs. A. W. Miller and S. Roppel were elected president and secretary respectively, by acclamation. Mr. H. Dunsmore was appointed delegate to the annual Convention at Calgary this week. Directors elected were: F. Howick, C. A. Smith, August Stein, H. A. Cammatt, and T. Benoit.

The annual meeting of Glenora School District trustees, was held in the Masonic Hall last week. Mr. G. S. Howick was re-elected to the board, leaving it the same as last year.

Nightgame played Rockyford a hockey game on Thursday afternoon, resulting in a win for the locals.

The Rockyford Girls' Glee Club will meet on Friday of this week at the home of Miss Pauline Griffiths. Miss Paula Paul is giving a party on Wednesday evening to the members of the Club.

Mrs. A. Wells has left the employ of the Rockyford Dry Goods Company. She will reside in Calgary for some time. A painful accident occurred to one of Messrs. Miller and Baber's employees last Tuesday, when a can of gasoline exploded, burning his face and hands badly. The injury in which the can was kept was blown up. The man was taken to Calgary for treatment.

Rosebud Notes

The concert held in the Griggs school house on December 11th, was a decided success. Miss Irving deserves great credit, as well as the pupils, who gave such excellent numbers.

If the business days of Rosebud would arrange to have some sort of a barn where country people could shelter their team from the winter blasts when they drive from a distance they might have more patronage and better natured farmers.

T. W. Schultz and wife are in Calgary for a short time. Mrs. Schultz will remain and take treatment as she is in very poor health.

A "sure enough" surprise was pulled off at the Gross home on the evening of January 16th, when about forty people went in and stole Miss Nellie from her slumber, and reminded her that she had a birthday. She was presented with many beautiful gifts; everything from a pair of golf hose to a wee little kitten. What was played until a late hour when the guests departed, wishing her many returns of the day.

Mrs. "Shorty" Cox will return home this week, after several weeks absence, having been taking treatment for her eyes in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Archer were callers in the Forker home Saturday.

The lovely dance given in the hall Friday night was a great success. Everybody had a jolly good time.

The whist party held on the 12th by the U.F.A. was well attended and much pleasure derived. Mrs. Sumner and Mr. Rayburn walked away with first honours, and Mrs. McGowan and Mr. Jack Gove were consoling with a deck of cards and a bottle of ink. The next party will be held on the 26th. Each lady to bring lunch, consisting of either cake or sandwiches.

Don't forget the Old Time Dance to be given in the hall on the 25th.

Mr. Harold Hymas and Miss Irving won the prize for the best dancers in a prize walk, and Mr. George Harbor and Miss Inlay in a fox trot last Friday night.

Howard must have a cast from will, for he has all kinds of temptations placed before him. The time his wife was a pipe. As he has no other use for it he is passing the long evenings away finding bubbles.

Owen Irby transferred his horses from South of town to another pasture north of town. It keeps everyone busy getting their stock cared for this hard winter.

A card party at the Mitchell home on the 15th gave a joyous time.

Mr. W. Brunner is going into the wholesale fruit business. His first shipment arrived on January 15, 1925, consisting of one orange from Tampa, Florida.

Just as we were ready to mail this there comes a report that a big rabbit drive is in progress on the Brunner ranch, where they tell us there are a million rabbits. Will report how many are still at large after this hunt, in the next issue. A late report arrived stating that eighty rabbits were killed within one hour. The hunter killed eighteen without moving an inch, and several dozen more would have fallen had Mr. W. Hymas not become excited and shot in the air while he kept his eye on the rabbits. Those that engaged in the hunt were: R. W. Brunner and son, L. W. Constock and hired man, Will Hymas and three sons, and D. Medlock and brother-in-law.

IRRIGATION COURSE

Plans are going forward for the special course in irrigation to be held at the Dominion Experimental Farm at Lethbridge for one week commencing February 2, under the auspices of the Dominion Experimental Farm Branch and the Provincial Department of Agriculture. The course will be similar to that held last year in which great interest was taken. The course will be opened by Hon. Geo. Howland on February 2, and among those who will give instruction and addresses will be S. G. Carlyle, Live-

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REV. FATHER BOLTZ BY WINS AUDIENCE BY SPLENDID RECITAL

Rev. Father Boltz won a place to himself in musical circles here, says the Calgary Albertan, when he appeared in recital Friday evening at the Al Ashar Temple, and Calgary Maguire, already known to Calgary audiences for the beautiful quality of his voice was the assisting soloist.

Versatile Artist

Versatility, keen interpretation and brilliant technique marked the performance of Father Boltz. An enthusiastic reaction was accorded him by the musical audience present. Father Boltz chose as his first number Beethoven's beautiful "Moonlight Sonata," a number which never fails to make an appeal. Through the slow, majestic chords of the first movement he displayed a depth of feeling bringing out the rich harmonies with a firm legato touch. The presto allegro movement, which closes in a rapid flight of silver passages displayed his skill as a technician. This movement was beautifully handled. "German Dance in C Major," another Beethoven number, was the closing composition in this suite.

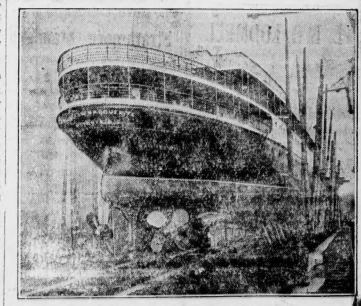
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Joseph Maguire was then heard to

perform in "Glorious Devon" by Edward German. Mr. Maguire possesses a beautiful baritone voice, and he was particularly happy in his choice of numbers Friday evening. During the evening he gave a splendid interpretation of the following numbers: "The Bodoni's Bride," "In Summer-time of Brodén," and "Mountain Lovers." Repeated encores showed the appreciation of the audience.

Plays Own Compositions
Not only did Father Boltz give several numbers from the old masters, but he showed his ability as composer, playing several of his own compositions. The first of these, "Scherzo in F Minor," proved a very pleasant combination of musical harmonies. "Intermezzo in G Minor," the second number of the pianist's own composition, and the closing number, "Rhapsody," displayed evident musical ability and execution.

"Morning Mood" from the Peer Gynt suite (Grieg), with its melancholy cadences, was also a popular number. In the last group, Rachmaninoff's "Prelude No. 2," "To a Wild Rose," MacDowell's "Tone Poem," "Hunting Song," and a paraphrase of the "Red King," were beautifully given.

Father Boltz has made many musical friends from his first official appearance in Calgary, who will look forward to hearing him again.



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Calgary, Alta.—According to estimates of local grain men \$25,000,000 worth of wheat has passed through Calgary since the opening of the shipping season on September 1. The actual number of cars imported was 13,155, Vancouver is absorbing practically all the wheat routed to this city, shipments ranging from 70,000 to 100,000 bushels daily.



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Hockey

Strathmore 5 — Gleichen 3
Strathmore played a return game with Gleichen at Gleichen Wednesday evening, winning by the above score. Teams were as follows:
Gleichen—Wilson, goal; Wright, Wilson, defence; Brown, left wing; Young, centre; MacKay, right wing; Jones, Lyons, Harb, subs.
Strathmore—Giroux, goal; McFarland and Gannon, defence; G. Giroux, left wing; A. Giroux, centre; E. Thomas, right wing; Gray and Bishop, subs.
Goals for Gleichen were scored by Brown and Young. For Strathmore by George Giroux (1), A. Giroux (2), McFarland (2).
Referee, Father Dougan.

Strathmore was superior in combination and team play. Giroux, in goal, played a stellar game. McFarland the captain, was the fastest and most effective man on the ice. The Giroux brothers, on the forward line, brought the fans to their feet by their effective hook check and deadly shots on the goal.

The Gleichen fans gave the Strathmore boys the glad-hand, and were loud in their applause for the great play they pulled off.

The fans left the rink stating that it was the best game ever played in Gleichen, and asking Strathmore to come again and give them another treat.

On Wednesday, January 14th, the Rinky Dinks and Doo Dads played a tie game, resulting in a score of 3-3. The playoff took place on Saturday, January 16th. The Rinky Dinks won 3-2.

Curling

Plays in the Brewery Cup trophy finished this week, when a new draw will be announced. Following is the standing of the rinks up to and including Monday, January 19.

"A" Group			
Skips	Won	Lost	
Jones	4	1	
A. Gray	2	3	
Barbor	0	4	
Wey	2	2	
Van Tighem	4	1	
Poole	1	4	
Lodwell	2	3	
Wright	3	1	
"B" Group			
Skips	Won	Lost	
Whiteside	3	2	
Hyde	2	2	
Warren	2	2	
Quirin	4	0	
W. Anderson	1	4	
R. H. Anderson	1	4	
R. H. Anderson	4	2	
R. Hanby	2	2	

A Strathmore rink will compete in the Calgary bonspiel next week.

situation in the different districts but no endeavor has been made to supply details regarding the individual quarantined such as shown on the larger scale separate land maps for each province, one of which covering Manitoba was issued recently, to be followed by others for Saskatchewan and Alberta, in the course of the next few months.

A copy of the map may be obtained free of charge on application to the Director of the Natural Resources Intelligence Service, Department of the Interior, Ottawa.

Homestead Map

A bird's eye view of opportunities for homesteading in the three Prairie Provinces is afforded prospective settlers by means of a small Land Map just issued by the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa. The map shows the total number of quarter sections of vacant Dominion lands in each township and gives the intending settler an excellent idea of the districts in which free Crown lands may be secured through homesteading, also those districts in which quarter sections have been pretty well taken up.

The map also shows clearly the boundaries of areas "A", "B" and "C". In area "A" all remaining vacant Dominion lands have for some time past been withdrawn from entry. They are, however, open for application for grazing leases. Area "B" comprises districts in which all vacant Crown lands have been classified and will be available for entry or grazing lease according to the classification of each parcel. Area "C" includes those districts within which vacant Dominion land is still available for homesteading, as in the past.

The main object of the map is to provide those interested in homesteading with a general guide to the land.



Bowling

The bowling league is creating much interest, and a large number of vociferous fans crowded the alleys on Monday evening for the games. Following is the standing up till Monday evening:

	Played	Won	Lost
Coyotes	36	25	11
Gingers	36	23	13
Wanderers	36	19	17
Go Getters	20	15	15
Badgers	33	16	17
Ramblers	29	14	15
Beavers	26	15	21
Nightingale	27	6	21
January 14—Gingers (627) 1, Beavers (682) 2.			
Badgers (582) 2, Go Getters (660) 1.			
January 16—Wanderers (630) 2, Go Getters (659) 1.			
Beavers (655) 3, Nightingale (521) 0.			
January 19—Gingers (885) 3, Ramblers (425) 0 (4 man teams).			
Coyotes (590) 2, Badgers (572) 1.			

The U.F.A. has ordered a car of coal from a privately owned mine. The price is much below that usually paid for lump coal.

Mr. and Mrs. Ostrum and family spent last Sunday evening with Mrs. Kennen and family.

Carseland U.F.W.A. will hold its next regular meeting at Mrs. Bergquist's on Friday evening, January 20, at 7:30 p.m. An invitation is extended to all members of the U.F.A. to meet with them for a social evening. The suggestion of the local correspondent is that every member of the U.F.A. be present and that the meeting of the U.F.A. be held the same evening, instead of the following day.

Edmonton, Alta.—It is estimated that Alberta's 59 creameries will have a total output of 21,500,000 pounds of butter for 1924. This product is now finding its way to the British market via the Panama Canal.

Calgary, Alta.—According to an estimate made by City Clerk J. M. Miller at the end of the year, the population of Calgary is 70,000.

Carseland Centre-shots

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Phillips left last week for California, where Wilbur will try to break into professional baseball. The community is a unit in wishing him every success. The Carseland team will feel the loss very keenly. Mrs. C. A. Phillips accompanied her son as far as Vancouver, where she will spend some time visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hugh Hebbes.

At the meeting of the Wheat Pool local last Saturday, much discussion took place about members, who it has been rumored, have been delivering their wheat outside the pool. A committee was appointed to take the matter up with central office, and to map out some line of action by which offending members may be brought to account. While we are on the Wheat Pool subject, we might announce that notices are posted requesting all members to send to head office the certificate for the second wheat pool payment.

The delegates from the U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. to the annual convention left for Calgary the first of the week. Quite a number of Carseland farmers and farm women will be in attendance at the convention.

The next meeting of the U.F.A. will be held on Saturday, January 21, and then after regular meetings will be held on the second and fourth Saturdays of each month.

Mike Brown is busy filling his ice house. We'll all know where to get cold drinks next summer.

The Ladies Aid held a most enjoyable meeting last week at Mrs. Lonsdale's.

The more we hear about the play being staged by the Carseland Dramatic Society, the more interested and anxious we are. At present the scenery is being painted. In the very near future we will be treated to a very excellent entertainment.

Mrs. Gardner and Mrs. Ed. Nelson spent two or three days in Calgary last week.

The ice on the river is reported to be in very good shape, and skating is being enjoyed by many.

There seems to be a wide difference of opinion on the Egypt question between the editor of the U.F.A. and the editor of the Standard. It's my opinion that there is plenty of room for argument on both sides.

Two or three dead loads of folks from here attended the dance at Balenwood last Friday night. All reported a "dandy" time.



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progress has been made in the districts in which these clubs are in operation. In fact, in some instances, practically the entire elimination of undesirable types of hogs, and has meant a large increase in the production of the bacon type. There is no question that, if these clubs are encouraged and aided, they will have a distinct beneficial effect on the swine industry of Western Canada.

Northwestern Ontario has a great interest among boys and girls in the Canadian National Railways have inaugurated the "Iron Hog" contest, in which the best hog that can be produced in all the districts is

The profits earned during the year, together with the balance of profits carried over from 1923, give a total of \$1,229,116 available for distribution. This has provided for the payment of the four regular quarterly dividends amounting to \$640,000; for Dominion Government taxes \$134,587, and for the usual contribution of \$10,000 to the Officers' Pension Fund. Adhering to their conservative policy, the directors have wisely apportioned the remainder

Shareholders, depositors and the public generally, will commend the excellent guidance of the Bank's affairs, which has brought such satisfactory returns to the shareholders, and at the same time has not only maintained the already strong position of the Bank in relation to its liabilities to the public, but has improved it, and the statement also reflects much credit on Western Canada for the measure of support and confidence which has enabled the Union Bank to

One of the largest herds of purebred registered Ramboulette sheep ever imported into Alberta was unloaded at Raymond on December 24th. The flock included 1339 animals for the ranch of Ray Knight at Raymond.

Andrew Vandervelde held a pound sale on January 17, when about nine horses were sold.

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January 20th, 1925

Wheat	
Track, Vancouver	1.94 1/2
No. 1	1.75
2	1.70
3	1.65
Oats	
2 C.W.	.52
3 C.W.	.49
Ex. No. 1 Feed	.46
Flax	
No. 1	2.25
2	2.20
Barley	
No. 3	.74
4	.73
Rye	
2 C.W.	1.30
3 C.W.	1.27

Slats' Diary

Friday—It's a hard job to satisfy me and me when it comes to stool work, this evening my wife was kicking her head off about the way I was going along, and she said "If I was any where near the head of my class, I told her that I didn't no just how close I was but that I say they was 11 kids behind me yet. I didn't mention the fact that then 14 kids was in the next class below are class. I said if they didn't like the way I was doing why didn't they take me on out of school. It didn't have no effects on them even at that.

Saturday—Tuk a ride with Bill and his pa today in there driver. His pa calls it the little Snake. I ask him how cum and he replied and said, "Because it all ways rattles before it strikes, which is pretty good I think." Sunday—I gess ma and pa must of ate sum thing that disagreed with them because they woodgit get ready for church this morning. Which was lucky for me all so. Pa said to me, how cum you to give me such a nasty look. And me and back. I didn't give it to you. You ben wearing it all morning ever since you got up. I gess they will be all rite soon again. Monday—Bill's seems to take after his pa because he is all ways nameing sum thing. Today I seen his Comb and just because all the rattle is coming out he calls it Flyover. Tuesday—went to a party and I took out 1 of pa's Collars like he groups when he goes to Lodge supper and doings and ect, and when I went in to the parlor where the party was bening had every body began laffing. I suppose they was laffing at me at least. I couldn't see nothing else to laff at. But I will warr my own stuff after this.

Wednesday—When Ant Emmy spoke of Geo. Lints being suchy modest yunk man pa spoke out and says "The only thing about him that is modest is his leg come." Thursday—Well Ant Emmy was lent sum thing new today. She never new up till this time but what the Stearns on ships was where they put the cattle in to ship them to Yurup and Italy and France and for en countries.

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The undersigned is open to receive offers for the assets of the estate of John Hewitt, Restaurant Keeper, Strathmore, consisting of stock on hand, approximately \$84.00, Restaurant Fixtures and Equipment \$400.00. An inspection of the above may be had on application to A. D. Shrimpton, Strathmore.

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January 25th—4:30 a.m. Holy Communion.

11 a.m.—Matins.

7:30 p.m.—Evangelism.

N.B.—Services at Strathmore every Sunday, both morning and evening, until further notice.

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Black Mare, weight about 1100 lbs., branded on left thigh, was impounded in the pound kept by W. Fawkes, located on the S.W. Sec. 27, Twp. 23, Range 24, West of the 4th Meridian, on the 2nd day of January, 1925, and that the said animal was sold on the 15th day of January, 1925, to Albin Gibson, of Nakamuk.

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